

**REMARKS**

Appreciation is expressed for the indication of allowable subject matter within the claims.

This is an Amendment After Allowance but before payment of the Issue Fee to address matters of form and syntax within the above-identified application.

*No new matter has been added.*

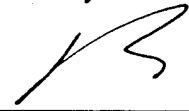

No changes are made which affect the scope of the allowed claims. Accordingly, entry of this Rule 312 amendment is warranted, perhaps under Order 3311.

If the Examiner has any comments or suggestions that could place this application in even better form, the Examiner is requested to telephone Brian K. Dutton, Reg. No. 47,255, at 202-955-8753 or the undersigned attorney at the below-listed number.

If any fee is required or any overpayment made, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee or credit the overpayment to Deposit Account # 18-0013.

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Respectfully submitted,

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